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DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY
UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
PUBLIC NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF UPDES BIOSOLIDS MANAGEMENT
PROGRAM PERMIT

PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE

THE PURPOSE OF THIS PUBLIC NOTICE IS TO SOLICIT PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING THE STATE OF UTAH'S INTENTION TO ISSUE A UTAH POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (UPDES), BIOSOLIDS (SLUDGE) MANAGEMENT PROGRAM PERMIT, UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE UTAH WATER QUALITY ACT, SECTION 19-5-104 AND 107, UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1953, AS AMENDED.

PERMIT INFORMATION

PERMITTEE NAME: R³ of Utah, L.C.
MAILING ADDRESS: 230 Skull Valley Road, North Salt Lake, UT 84029
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (435) 830-5946
FACILITY LOCATION: Skull Valley, Tooele County west of State Road
196, 19 miles north of the entrance to Dugway
Proving Grounds
UPDES PERMIT NO.: UTL025496

BACKGROUND

R³ is seeking a UPDES biosolids permit. R³'s biosolids product meets Class A biosolids standards. The biosolids may be sold or given away to the public or land applied at agronomic rates for agricultural production. Should the product fail to meet the requirements of Class A standards but does meet Class B pathogen standards, it may be used on farm fields, rangeland, reclamation sites and other low public contact sites. If the product does not meet at least Class B standards, it will need to be properly disposed in a landfill.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comments are invited any time prior to close of business June 14, 2008. Comments may be directed to the Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Water Quality, 288 North 1460 West, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870.

FURTHER INFORMATION

The permit renewal is available for public review under "Public Notices" at www.waterquality.utah.gov/. If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Mark Schmitz at 801-538-6097. Written public comments can be submitted to: Walt Baker, Executive Secretary, Utah Water Quality Board, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: wbaker@utah.gov. The deadline to receive comments is the close of business June 14, 2008. After considering public comment the Utah Water Quality Board may execute the permit renewal, revise it, or abandon it.